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JANUARY 1941 - APRIL 1949

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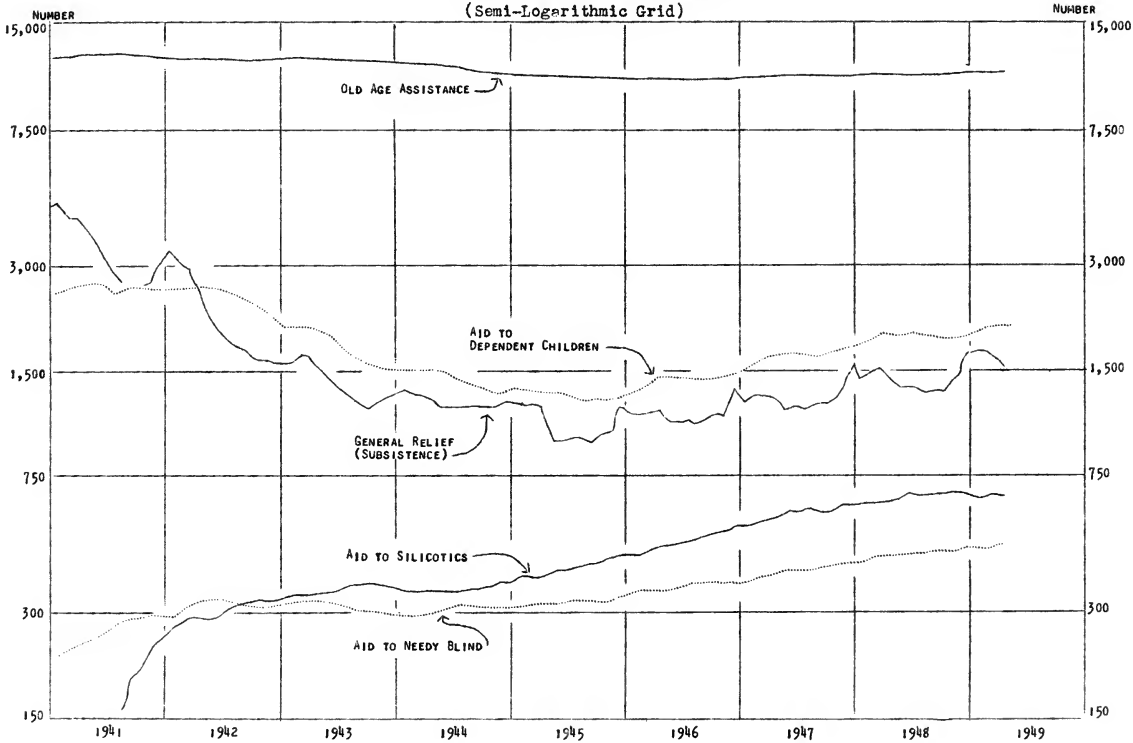

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JANUARY 1941 - APRIL 1949
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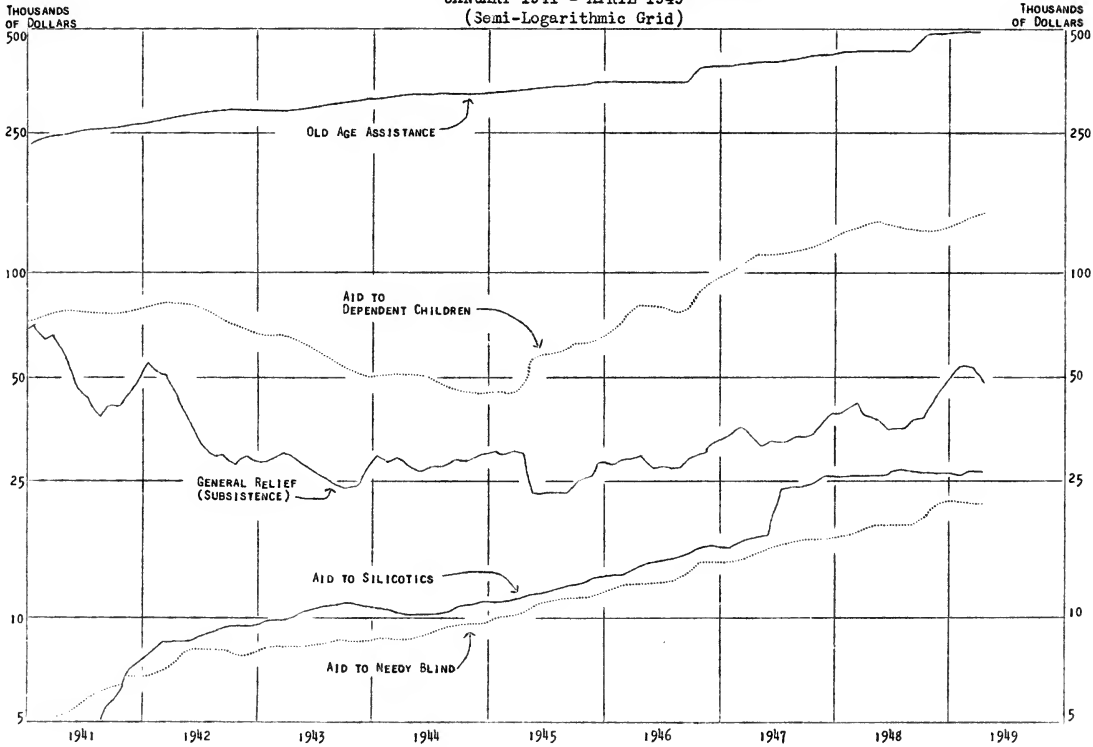

REVISED BUDGET STANDARDS

Early in May, the State Department transmitted manual material containing revisions of budget standards to the county departments for their use in reviewing and rebudgeting assistance cases in connection with the removal of maximums on payments for Old Age Assistance and Aid to Needy Blind to be effective July 1, 1949. Although allowances for individual items were revised and maximums placed on amounts allowable for individual items, the policy that certain requirements must be met in every budget was continued. These items are food, clothing, shelter, fuel and utilities, personal incidentals, household equipment, household remedies and, in Aid to Needy Blind cases, a special allowance for the blind. In addition to the foregoing mandatory items, requirements for medical care, transportation, insurance, special services, education, recreation and contributions will be considered and met when a need for them has been established.

For some items, such as food, clothing, household equipment, household remedies, and personal incidentals, the amounts allowed are fixed and are the same for every recipient with similar family composition and living arrangement. Amounts for other items, such as shelter, fuel and utilities, are allowed as needed but may not exceed established maximums. The maximums on allowances for "as-paid" items were established after careful study and were made high enough so that almost all of the caseload would be included within the maximums.

Under the revised standards an adult living alone in his own establishment will be allowed fixed amounts of $25.50 monthly for food; 6.50 for clothing; 2.25 for household remedies; 3.00 for household equipment and supplies; and 4.50 for personal incidentals. Shelter will be allowed as paid to a maximum of $20.00; fuel, as paid to a maximum of $12.00; light and electricity, as paid to a maximum of $4.00; and water, as paid to a maximum of $3.00. And, as stated above, allowances for other items will be considered and met when need has been established.

Prior to the removal of maximums the limitation on the total grant served as the controlling factor for allowances made for individual budget items. With the removal of maximums, however, it is necessary to limit allowances for individual items in order to maintain control of the expenditure of assistance funds and to assure equitable treatment of recipients in like circumstances within the limit of available funds.

TABLE I. SUMMARY OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE STATISTICS, APRIL 1949

A. OBLIGATIONS INCURRED FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Type of Assistance	Apr. 1949	Mar. 1949	Apr. 1948	% Increase or Decrease from: Mar. 1949	Apr. 1948
All Public Assistance	$775,253.81	$779,778.78	$680,575.89	- 0.6	+13.9
Old Age Assistance	498,117.00	496,492.00	432,313.00	+ 0.3	+15.2
Aid to Dependent Children	146,753.00	145,327.00	137,910.00	+ 1.0	+ 6.4
Aid to Needy Blind	21,551.00	21,445.00	18,071.00	+ 0.5	+19.3
General Relief (Subsistence)	48,043.59	52,513.41	38,348.34	- 8.5	+25.3
Medical Care	12,227.18	11,082.42	7,236.91	+10.3	+69.0
Hospitalization	45,050.54	49,804.99	43,922.91	- 9.5	+ 2.6
Burials	3,511.50	3,113.96	2,773.73	+12.8	+26.6

B. NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Type of Assistance	Apr. 1949	Mar. 1949	Apr. 1948	% Increase or Decrease from: Mar. 1949	Apr. 1948
Old Age Assistance	11,099	11,060	10,908	+ 0.4	+ 1.8
Aid to Dependent Children:					
Families	2,045	2,034	1,935	+ 0.5	+ 5.7
Children	5,220	5,230	5,102	- 0.2	+ 2.3
Aid to Needy Blind	468	466	438	+ 0.4	+ 6.8
General Relief (Subsistence)	1,548	1,679	1,435	- 7.8	+ 7.9
Medical Care	604	652	469	- 7.4	+28.8
Hospitalization	528	530	516	- 0.4	+ 2.3
Burials	34	31	35	+ 9.7	- 2.9

C. AVERAGE PAYMENTS TO RECIPIENTS OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Type of Assistance	Apr. 1949	Mar. 1949	Apr. 1948	% Increase or Decrease from: Mar. 1949	Apr. 1948
Old Age Assistance	$44.88	$44.89	$39.63	- 1/	+13.2
Aid to Dependent Children:					
Families	71.76	71.45	71.22	+ 0.4	+ 0.8
Children	28.11	27.79	27.03	+ 1.2	+ 4.0
Aid to Needy Blind	46.05	46.02	41.26	+ 0.1	+11.6
General Relief (Subsistence)	31.04	31.28	26.72	- 0.8	+16.2
Medical Care	20.24	17.00	15.43	+19.1	+31.2
Hospitalizations	85.32	93.97	85.12	- 9.2	+ 0.2
Burials	103.28	100.45	79.25	+ 2.8	+30.3

1/ Less than 0.1%

TABLE II. APPLICATIONS AND CASES APPROVED FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE, APRIL 1949

A. APPLICATIONS FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Applications	Number of Applications for: Old Age Assistance	Aid to Dependent Children (Families)	Aid to Needy Blind	General Relief
1. Pending from preceding month	200	85	30	43
2. Received during month	207	123	29	84
3. Total during month	407	208	59	127
4. Disposed of during month	259	124	19	100
a. Approved for assistance	192	94	9	78
b. Denied or otherwise disposed of	67	30	10	22
5. Pending at end of month	148	84	40	27

B CASES APPROVED FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Cases	Number of Cases Approved for: Old Age Assistance	Aid to Dependent Children (Families)	Aid to Needy Blind	General Relief
6. Continued from preceding month	11,151	2,053	536	1,646
7. Added during month	192	94	9	78
8. Total open during month	11,343	2,147	545	1,724
a. Received assistance	11,099	2,045	468	1,548
(1) Children in aid to dependent children cases	xxxx	1/ 5,220	xxxx	xxxx
b. Received no assistance	244	102	77	176
9. Closed during month	157	79	11	193
10. Continued to next month	11,186	2,068	534	1,531

1/ Includes 436 children 16 years of age and over.

TABLE III. NUMBER OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE CASES CLOSED AND REASON FOR CLOSING, APRIL 1949

A. OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Reason for Closing	Number of Cases Closed
TOTAL	157
Death of recipient	83
Material change in economic circumstances, total	24
Employment of recipient	5
Employment of other person in home	3
Other resources of person in home	12
Other material change in economic circumstances	4
No material change in economic circumstances, total	50
Admitted to institution	9
Receipt of Aid to Needy Blind	5
Receipt of another type of aid	32
Receipt of aid from another state	1
Other reasons	3

B. GENERAL RELIEF

Reason for Closing	Number of Cases Closed
TOTAL	193
Supplementation of other assistance discontinued	16
Death of recipient	13
Material change in economic circumstances, total	110
Employment of person in home	89
Receipt of allowance, pension, or other payment connected with military service	1
Increased support from person outside home	2
Other resources of person in home	6
Other material change in economic circumstances	12
No material change in economic circumstances, total	54
Admitted to institution	2
Receipt of another type of aid	44
Temporarily hospitalized	3
Voluntary withdrawal	2
Other reasons	3

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A. [illegible] INSURANCE

TOTAL	[illegible]
Death of resident	[illegible]
Material damage in accordance [illegible]	[illegible]
Burial/[illegible] of [illegible]	[illegible]
Employment of other [illegible]	[illegible]
Other resources [illegible]	[illegible]
Other material damage [illegible]	[illegible]
No material damage in accordance [illegible]	[illegible]
Affected no [illegible]	[illegible]
Escape of All [illegible]	[illegible]
Loss of [illegible]	[illegible]
Loss of all [illegible]	[illegible]
Other [illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible]

A. [illegible] DAMAGE

TOTAL	[illegible]
Expropriation of [illegible]	[illegible]
Death of resident	[illegible]
Other material damage [illegible]	[illegible]
No type of [illegible]	[illegible]
Loss of [illegible]	[illegible]
Loss of [illegible]	[illegible]
Other material [illegible]	[illegible]
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Other [illegible]	[illegible]

TABLE III. NUMBER OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE CASES CLOSED AND REASON FOR CLOSING, APRIL 1949 (Cont'd)

C. AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Reason for Closing	Number of Cases Closed	
	Families	Children
TOTAL	79	230 *
Death of dependent child	1	1
Material change in economic circumstances, total	65	204
Employment of father	18	61
Employment of mother	13	33
Employment of dependent child	1	4
Employment of other person in home	2	5
Support by remarriage of parent	5	11
Receipt of allowance, pension, or other payment connected with military service	1	4
Increased support from person outside home	1	1
Other resources of person in home	24	85
No material change in economic circumstances, total	13	25
Child 16 and not attending school	3	3
Parent no longer incapacitated	3	4
Child not in home	5	13
Other reasons	2	5

* Does not include children removed from active family cases.

D. AID TO NEEDY BLIND

Reason for Closing	Number of Cases Closed
TOTAL	11
Death of recipient	3
Other resources of person in home	1
Vision wholly or partially restored	3
Admitted to institution	1
Receipt of Old Age Assistance	1
Receipt of another type of aid	2

TABLE IV. ALL PUBLIC ASSISTANCE, INCLUDING OLD AGE ASSISTANCE, AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN, AID TO NEEDY BLIND, GENERAL RELIEF SUBSISTENCE, MEDICAL CARE, HOSPITALIZATION, AND BURIALS, BY COUNTY, APRIL 1949

County	Unduplicated Number of Households Receiving Public Assistance	Total Payments	Average per Household
TOTAL	13,238	$ 775,253.81	$58.56
1. Beaverhead	199	10,460.25	52.56
2. Big Horn	229	14,141.96	61.76
3. Blaine	200	12,852.97	64.26
4. Broadwater	100	5,524.90	55.25
5. Carbon	351	20,657.50	58.85
6. Carter	97	6,354.90	65.51
7. Cascade	1,016	68,785.42	67.70
8. Chouteau	131	8,880.91	67.79
9. Custer	305	15,733.60	51.59
10. Daniels	60	3,416.00	56.93
11. Dawson	143	8,646.75	60.47
12. Deer Lodge	219	13,986.82	63.87
13. Fallon	78	5,227.56	67.02
14. Fergus	400	21,498.48	53.75
15. Flathead	577	31,658.43	54.87
16. Gallatin	266	15,429.29	58.00
17. Garfield	59	4,455.00	77.51
18. Glacier	343	18,455.69	53.81
19. Golden Valley	48	2,975.50	61.99
20. Granite	56	2,834.13	50.61
21. Hill	273	16,973.59	62.17
22. Jefferson	122	7,141.18	58.53
23. Judith Basin	99	5,729.79	57.88
24. Lake	313	18,660.06	59.68
25. Lewis & Clark	478	25,490.00	53.33
26. Liberty	27	1,371.25	50.79
27. Lincoln	319	16,767.23	52.56
28. Madison	233	13,161.55	56.49
29. McCone *	55	3,265.00	59.36
30. Meagher	78	4,560.02	58.46
31. Mineral	86	5,962.80	69.33
32. Missoula	678	38,035.76	56.10
33. Musselshell	189	11,475.96	60.72
34. Park	248	14,812.92	59.73
35. Petroleum	15	941.50	62.77
36. Phillips	187	11,110.72	59.42
37. Pondera	165	8,962.33	54.32
38. Powder River	52	2,983.62	57.38
39. Powell	157	8,250.44	52.55
40. Prairie	56	4,328.26	77.29
41. Ravalli	402	23,929.14	59.53
42. Richland	189	13,001.53	68.79
43. Roosevelt	278	18,364.58	66.06
44. Rosebud	201	11,887.58	59.14
45. Sanders	271	16,734.25	61.75
46. Sheridan	166	10,182.79	61.34
47. Silver Bow	1,430	75,908.85	53.08
48. Stillwater	127	7,328.65	57.71
49. Sweet Grass	74	4,360.84	58.93
50. Teton	105	7,000.00	66.67
51. Toole	101	6,444.39	83.81
52. Treasure	27	1,487.76	55.10
53. Valley	240	14,879.39	62.00
54. Wheatland	85	5,534.79	65.12
55. Wibaux	36	2,171.80	60.33
56. Yellowstone	799	44,057.43	55.14

* McCone County General Relief not reported.

TABLE V. OLD AGE ASSISTANCE, BY COUNTY, APRIL 1949, COMPARED WITH SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

County	APRIL 1949			APRIL 1948		APRIL 1944	
	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Amount	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Number of Cases	Average per Case
TOTAL.....	11,099	$44.88	$ 498,117.00	10,908	$39.63	11,376	$28.80
1. Beaverhead	181	45.86	8,301.00	167	39.81	170	28.60
2. Big Horn	163	44.83	7,307.00	161	38.80	171	27.85
3. Blaine	172	40.78	7,015.00	176	35.23	164	24.85
4. Broadwater	91	46.99	4,276.00	94	39.91	102	28.42
5. Carbon	297	46.12	13,699.00	315	39.98	330	29.85
6. Carter	95	46.00	4,370.00	97	40.44	116	28.25
7. Cascade	786	45.86	36,049.00	735	40.40	643	30.65
8. Chouteau	119	43.72	5,203.00	126	37.55	174	26.86
9. Custer	240	45.11	10,827.00	256	39.36	252	28.08
10. Daniels	47	44.57	2,095.00	59	40.76	67	27.90
11. Dawson	120	44.73	5,368.00	120	39.47	149	27.09
12. Deer Lodge	167	47.27	7,894.00	162	42.69	122	34.48
13. Fallon	65	46.14	2,999.00	65	39.51	78	25.47
14. Fergus	356	45.08	16,050.00	371	39.82	404	29.00
15. Flathead	550	42.87	23,578.00	564	37.86	604	26.85
16. Gallatin	257	47.47	12,199.00	237	41.68	296	26.71
17. Garfield	56	48.12	2,695.00	54	41.94	80	25.10
18. Glacier	209	41.60	8,694.00	186	36.04	144	23.73
19. Golden Valley	37	48.24	1,785.00	38	42.79	44	28.23
20. Granite	53	45.89	2,432.00	51	37.69	51	28.75
21. Hill	197	43.58	8,586.00	180	39.29	213	26.21
22. Jefferson	115	44.49	5,116.00	115	40.17	121	28.01
23. Judith Basin	105	45.50	4,778.00	109	40.14	123	25.61
24. Lake	294	44.56	13,100.00	287	39.29	303	26.01
25. Lewis & Clark	423	44.58	18,859.00	405	39.70	431	27.64
26. Liberty	24	46.42	1,114.00	28	40.68	49	27.94
27. Lincoln	305	44.11	13,454.00	302	38.62	339	25.67
28. Madison	229	47.69	10,920.00	218	42.50	190	29.59
29. McCone	49	43.65	2,139.00	49	37.94	65	26.31
30. Meagher	73	45.90	3,351.00	66	39.74	70	31.39
31. Mineral	84	46.08	3,871.00	85	40.75	112	30.11
32. Missoula	638	43.94	28,035.00	649	39.01	662	33.71
33. Musselshell	181	44.91	8,129.00	194	38.69	159	28.71
34. Park	220	45.45	9,999.00	199	39.69	195	28.72
35. Petroleum	15	44.00	660.00	14	40.36	33	30.97
36. Phillips	176	44.35	7,806.00	163	39.98	170	26.06
37. Pondera	135	42.10	5,683.00	142	37.61	163	26.31
38. Powder River	52	41.77	2,172.00	49	34.84	63	22.17
39. Powell	155	44.59	6,911.00	150	38.55	159	28.71
40. Prairie	51	40.65	2,073.00	49	36.69	58	27.90
41. Ravalli	376	44.72	16,815.00	363	40.21	323	30.57
42. Richland	171	45.36	7,757.00	179	40.18	197	27.39
43. Roosevelt	169	43.06	7,277.00	186	38.24	230	26.72
44. Rosebud	146	44.55	6,504.00	142	38.69	154	25.52
45. Sanders	241	44.54	10,733.00	219	40.02	236	32.06
46. Sheridan	137	45.50	6,233.00	138	39.96	169	25.95
47. Silver Bow	998	46.04	45,945.00	952	41.29	897	32.93
48. Stillwater	119	45.24	5,384.00	119	39.46	125	30.11
49. Sweet Grass	55	47.15	2,593.00	57	39.72	81	30.64
50. Teton	100	44.61	4,461.00	93	39.29	109	28.23
51. Toole	81	43.86	3,553.00	79	39.28	100	28.24
52. Treasure	29	44.86	1,301.00	27	41.93	30	25.13
53. Valley	188	44.85	8,432.00	170	39.99	189	28.79
54. Wheatland	76	48.79	3,708.00	69	42.28	70	29.06
55. Wibaux	29	43.62	1,265.00	29	39.48	30	29.77
56. Yellowstone	602	44.13	26,564.00	599	39.65	597	29.37

TABLE VI. OLD AGE ASSISTANCE: COUNTIES RANKED BY AMOUNT OF AVERAGE PAYMENT APRIL 1949, COMPARED WITH LAST MONTH AND SAME MONTH A YEAR AGO

APRIL 1949			MARCH 1949		APRIL 1948		
Rank	County	Average	County	Average	County	Average	Rank
1.	Wheatland	$ 48.79	Wheatland	$ 48.96	Golden Valley	$ 42.79	1.
2.	Golden Valley	48.24	Golden Valley	48.19	Deer Lodge	42.69	2.
3.	Garfield	48.12	Garfield	48.12	Madison	42.50	3.
4.	Madison	47.69	Madison	47.73	Wheatland	42.28	4.
5.	Gallatin	47.47	Gallatin	47.50	Garfield	41.94	5.
6.	Deer Lodge	47.27	Deer Lodge	47.49	Treasure	41.93	6.
7.	Sweet Grass	47.15	Sweet Grass	47.04	Gallatin	41.68	7.
8.	Broadwater	46.99	Broadwater	46.85	Silver Bow	41.29	8.
9.	Liberty	46.42	Mineral	46.55	Daniels	40.76	9.
10.	Fallon	46.14	Silver Bow	46.27	Mineral	40.75	10.
11.	Carbon	46.12	Liberty	46.26	Liberty	40.68	11.
12.	Mineral	46.08	Meagher	46.07	Carter	40.44	12.
13.	Silver Bow	46.04	Carter	45.99	Cascade	40.40	13.
14.	Carter	46.00	Cascade	45.92	Petroleum	40.36	14.
15.	Meagher	45.90	Carbon	45.85	Ravalli	40.21	15.
16.	Granite	45.89	Beaverhead	45.80	Richland	40.18	16.
17.	Cascade	45.86	Treasure	45.76	Jefferson	40.17	17.
18.	Beaverhead	45.86	Granite	45.70	Judith Basin	40.14	18.
19.	Judith Basin	45.50	Judith Basin	45.70	Sanders	40.02	19.
20.	Sheridan	45.50	Park	45.46	Valley	39.99	20.
21.	Park	45.45	Sheridan	45.45	Phillips	39.98	21.
22.	Richland	45.36	Fallon	45.28	Carbon	39.98	22.
23.	Stillwater	45.24	Richland	45.26	Sheridan	39.96	23.
24.	Custer	45.11	Stillwater	45.18	Broadwater	39.91	24.
25.	Fergus	45.08	Petroleum	45.13	Fergus	39.82	25.
26.	Musselshell	44.91	Custer	45.04	Beaverhead	39.81	26.
27.	Treasure	44.86	Jefferson	44.89	Meagher	39.74	27.
28.	Valley	44.85	Fergus	44.87	Sweet Grass	39.72	28.
29.	Big Horn	44.83	Big Horn	44.86	Lewis & Clark	39.70	29.
30.	Dawson	44.73	Ravalli	44.81	Park	39.69	30.
31.	Ravalli	44.72	Musselshell	44.78	Yellowstone	39.65	31.
32.	Teton	44.61	Daniels	44.69	Fallon	39.51	32.
33.	Powell	44.59	Lewis & Clark	44.64	Wibaux	39.48	33.
34.	Lewis & Clark	44.58	Lake	44.58	Dawson	39.47	34.
35.	Daniels	44.57	Rosebud	44.55	Stillwater	39.46	35.
36.	Lake	44.56	Teton	44.48	Custer	39.36	36.
37.	Rosebud	44.55	Sanders	44.47	Hill	39.29	37.
38.	Sanders	44.54	Dawson	44.39	Teton	39.29	38.
39.	Jefferson	44.49	Valley	44.39	Lake	39.29	39.
40.	Phillips	44.35	Phillips	44.24	Toole	39.28	40.
41.	Yellowstone	44.13	Yellowstone	44.19	Missoula	39.01	41.
42.	Lincoln	44.11	Powell	44.18	Big Horn	38.80	42.
43.	Petroleum	44.00	Lincoln	44.09	Rosebud	38.69	43.
44.	Missoula	43.94	Missoula	43.91	Musselshell	38.69	44.
45.	Toole	43.86	McCone	43.78	Lincoln	38.62	45.
46.	Chouteau	43.72	Wibaux	43.59	Powell	38.55	46.
47.	McCone	43.65	Chouteau	43.53	Roosevelt	38.24	47.
48.	Wibaux	43.62	Hill	43.32	McCone	37.94	48.
49.	Hill	43.58	Toole	43.27	Flathead	37.86	49.
50.	Roosevelt	43.06	Flathead	43.11	Granite	37.69	50.
51.	Flathead	42.87	Roosevelt	42.97	Pondera	37.61	51.
52.	Pondera	42.10	Pondera	42.17	Chouteau	37.55	52.
53.	Powder River	41.77	Glacier	42.00	Prairie	36.69	53.
54.	Glacier	41.60	Powder River	41.87	Glacier	36.04	54.
55.	Blaine	40.78	Prairie	40.86	Blaine	35.23	55.
56.	Prairie	40.65	Blaine	40.57	Powder River	34.84	56.

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TABLE VII. OLD AGE ASSISTANCE: NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND AVERAGE PAYMENT PER RECIPIENT BY RACE, BY COUNTY, APRIL 1949

County	TOTAL		INDIAN		EXCLUSIVE OF INDIAN	
	Number of Recipients	Average Payment	Number of Recipients	Average Payment	Number of Recipients	Average Payment
TOTAL.....	11,099	$ 44.88	418	$ 38.69	10,681	$ 45.12
1. Beaverhead	181	45.86	-	-	181	45.86
2. Big Horn	163	44.83	23	40.65	140	45.51
3. Blaine	172	40.78	45	32.40	127	43.76
4. Broadwater	91	46.99	-	-	91	46.99
5. Carbon	297	46.12	-	-	297	46.12
6. Carter	95	46.00	-	-	95	46.00
7. Cascade	786	45.86	2	48.50	784	45.86
8. Chouteau	119	43.72	3	39.00	116	43.84
9. Custer	240	45.11	1	50.00	239	45.09
10. Daniels	47	44.57	-	-	47	44.57
11. Dawson	120	44.73	-	-	120	44.73
12. Deer Lodge	167	47.27	-	-	167	47.27
13. Fallon	65	46.14	-	-	65	46.14
14. Fergus	356	45.08	-	-	356	45.08
15. Flathead	550	42.87	1	50.00	549	42.86
16. Gallatin	257	47.47	-	-	257	47.47
17. Garfield	56	48.12	-	-	56	48.12
18. Glacier	209	41.60	108	38.27	101	45.16
19. Golden Valley	37	48.24	-	-	37	48.24
20. Granite	53	45.89	-	-	53	45.89
21. Hill	197	43.58	24	38.75	173	44.25
22. Jefferson	115	44.49	-	-	115	44.49
23. Judith Basin	105	45.50	-	-	105	45.50
24. Lake	294	44.56	54	43.67	240	44.76
25. Lewis & Clark	423	44.58	1	50.00	422	44.57
26. Liberty	24	46.42	-	-	24	46.42
27. Lincoln	305	44.11	1	37.00	304	44.13
28. Madison	229	47.69	-	-	229	47.69
29. McCone	49	43.65	-	-	49	43.65
30. Meagher	73	45.90	-	-	73	45.90
31. Mineral	84	46.08	-	-	84	46.08
32. Missoula	638	43.94	13	37.15	625	44.08
33. Musselshell	181	44.91	-	-	181	44.91
34. Park	220	45.45	-	-	220	45.45
35. Petroleum	15	44.00	-	-	15	44.00
36. Phillips	176	44.35	5	41.60	171	44.43
37. Pondera	135	42.10	22	33.36	113	43.80
38. Powder River	52	41.77	-	-	52	41.77
39. Powell	155	44.59	-	-	155	44.59
40. Prairie	51	40.65	-	-	51	40.65
41. Ravalli	376	44.72	1	40.00	375	44.73
42. Richland	171	45.36	1	41.00	170	45.39
43. Roosevelt	169	43.06	53	38.04	116	45.35
44. Rosebud	146	44.55	31	39.29	115	45.97
45. Sanders	241	44.54	14	41.86	227	44.70
46. Sheridan	137	45.50	4	46.00	133	45.48
47. Silver Bow	998	46.04	-	-	998	46.04
48. Stillwater	119	45.24	-	-	119	45.24
49. Sweet Grass	55	47.15	-	-	55	47.15
50. Teton	100	44.61	-	-	100	44.61
51. Toole	81	43.86	-	-	81	43.86
52. Treasure	29	44.86	-	-	29	44.86
53. Valley	188	44.85	11	40.73	177	45.11
54. Wheatland	76	48.79	-	-	76	48.79
55. Wibaux	29	43.62	-	-	29	43.62
56. Yellowstone	602	44.13	-	-	602	44.13

TABLE VIII. AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN, BY COUNTY, APRIL 1949, COMPARED WITH SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

County	APRIL 1949				APRIL 1948			APRIL 1944		
	No. of Cases		Av. per	Amount	No. of Cases		Av. per	No. of Cases		Av. per
	Families	Children	Family		Families	Children	Family	Families	Children	Family
TOTAL.....	2,045	5,220	71.76	$146,753.00	1,935	5,102	71.27	1,519	3,786	33.32
1. Beaverhead	20	46	66.25	1,325.00	14	38	70.36	11	31	35.64
2. Big Horn	87	207	62.71	5,456.00	66	168	59.62	53	138	33.40
3. Blaine	45	118	56.51	2,543.00	50	137	56.82	49	151	38.90
4. Broadwater	11	34	85.55	941.00	8	24	75.62	4	22	68.25
5. Carbon	48	103	79.42	3,812.00	48	106	82.35	44	98	29.75
6. Carter	5	11	89.20	446.00	5	11	74.00	11	19	25.64
7. Cascade	122	345	91.93	11,216.00	114	331	90.17	45	128	35.96
8. Chouteau	17	51	60.12	1,022.00	15	47	58.87	16	32	28.06
9. Custer	32	83	74.38	2,380.00	27	59	67.89	35	73	29.57
10. Daniels	11	30	86.64	953.00	10	27	92.70	20	43	30.50
11. Dawson	27	63	74.00	1,998.00	27	67	73.59	26	68	35.46
12. Deer Lodge	33	84	90.91	3,000.00	41	102	96.10	17	40	33.35
13. Fallon	17	34	66.18	1,125.00	20	43	63.40	19	45	30.21
14. Fergus	39	111	92.87	3,622.00	35	98	86.31	36	79	31.49
15. Flathead	74	184	75.20	5,565.00	59	165	79.29	54	134	31.37
16. Gallatin	21	46	61.05	1,282.00	12	30	53.42	21	56	30.15
17. Garfield	6	12	75.83	455.00	5	18	83.20	3	10	46.00
18. Glacier	135	375	50.66	6,839.00	105	301	53.37	75	174	30.56
19. Golden Valley	8	16	80.88	647.00	8	17	73.75	6	13	31.67
20. Granite	3	10	74.33	223.00	3	10	61.33	4	11	32.50
21. Hill	72	209	75.61	5,444.00	60	175	79.27	42	107	32.64
22. Jefferson	13	35	74.00	962.00	13	36	67.62	14	31	32.00
23. Judith Basin	3	5	71.67	215.00	7	13	67.00	14	27	29.14
24. Lake	35	100	75.17	2,631.00	36	99	69.67	38	74	26.55
25. Lewis & Clark	68	160	76.63	5,211.00	65	169	68.98	51	114	31.16
26. Liberty	2	6	72.00	144.00	4	6	33.25	8	16	26.87
27. Lincoln	31	82	58.97	1,828.00	30	79	65.97	18	48	37.11
28. Madison	15	43	75.00	1,125.00	16	43	56.50	13	35	30.08
29. McCone	10	27	91.30	913.00	11	27	70.36	10	20	28.90
30. Meagher	6	17	86.50	519.00	8	24	92.25	8	18	31.75
31. Mineral	4	16	98.75	395.00	6	11	57.83	2	5	36.00
32. Missoula	74	194	75.42	5,581.00	66	172	73.26	62	199	34.33
33. Musselshell	17	39	65.71	1,117.00	17	35	56.29	6	19	42.67
34. Park	25	51	71.60	1,790.00	27	78	70.44	16	39	32.09
35. Petroleum	2	4	55.00	110.00	1	3	46.00	1	3	30.00
36. Phillips	26	76	55.73	1,449.00	28	70	55.07	22	63	38.23
37. Pondera	40	103	47.20	1,888.00	42	112	47.90	22	52	28.95
38. Powder River	4	6	63.00	252.00	7	19	76.29	10	21	25.70
39. Powell	2	5	55.50	111.00	8	18	69.86	16	37	29.69
40. Prairie	8	26	83.50	668.00	8	28	86.00	15	46	26.13
41. Ravalli	53	132	79.28	4,202.00	52	138	82.38	33	90	37.48
42. Richland	28	71	76.50	2,142.00	26	73	76.92	28	61	30.93
43. Roosevelt	123	339	59.41	7,306.00	111	299	60.63	78	196	32.29
44. Rosebud	63	150	56.87	3,583.00	55	125	53.16	28	49	26.43
45. Sanders	41	107	60.63	3,306.00	36	96	78.03	36	97	37.72
46. Sheridan	27	53	67.96	2,375.00	26	52	75.19	22	52	29.36
47. Silver Bow	230	553	73.61	16,931.00	227	557	74.36	144	360	34.83
48. Stillwater	12	32	77.50	930.00	15	52	84.07	20	54	33.40
49. Sweet Grass	11	21	63.45	698.00	12	31	74.42	12	30	33.92
50. Teton	12	25	85.83	1,020.00	13	34	89.62	8	19	33.75
51. Toole	12	29	58.17	698.00	11	33	66.09	8	22	37.25
52. Treasure	-	-	-	-	1	2	64.00	2	3	19.00
53. Valley	57	136	72.40	4,127.00	47	120	75.66	32	95	41.25
54. Wheatland	13	31	70.46	916.00	14	31	63.57	6	15	35.00
55. Wibaux	6	18	80.33	482.00	8	36	89.25	5	20	43.20
56. Yellowstone	139	356	77.86	10,822.00	149	407	74.50	100	284	38.02

TABLE IX. AID TO NEEDY BLIND, BY COUNTY, APRIL 1949, COMPARED WITH SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

County	APRIL 1949			APRIL 1948		APRIL 1944	
	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Amount	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Number of Cases	Average per Case
TOTAL.....	468	$46.05	$ 21,551.00	438	$41.26	297	$30.01
1. Beaverhead	2	50.00	100.00	-	-	3	23.00
2. Big Horn	10	38.80	388.00	10	33.20	4	24.75
3. Blaine	7	38.43	269.00	9	36.11	10	24.50
4. Broadwater	2	50.00	100.00	2	43.00	4	33.50
5. Carbon	8	46.62	373.00	9	45.00	8	37.25
6. Carter	6	49.33	296.00	6	42.33	2	37.50
7. Cascade	51	47.47	2,421.00	50	42.18	31	30.81
8. Chouteau	4	49.25	197.00	4	44.25	6	35.50
9. Custer	13	44.31	576.00	9	41.78	3	35.00
10. Daniels	2	35.00	70.00	2	30.00	3	23.33
11. Dawson	6	49.33	296.00	6	40.67	11	31.45
12. Deer Lodge	5	43.00	215.00	4	36.25	3	40.00
13. Fallon	5	45.00	225.00	4	43.75	-	-
14. Fergus	16	44.12	706.00	12	38.75	4	29.25
15. Flathead	12	46.83	562.00	10	37.50	12	28.42
16. Gallatin	8	49.12	393.00	9	43.89	9	29.31
17. Garfield	1	50.00	50.00	2	45.00	3	26.33
18. Glacier	16	45.00	720.00	10	39.00	6	20.17
19. Golden Valley	-	-	-	1	45.00	1	23.00
20. Granite	-	-	-	-	-	1	26.00
21. Hill	13	42.77	556.00	12	37.00	9	29.56
22. Jefferson	3	48.33	145.00	3	43.33	3	29.00
23. Judith Basin	3	50.00	150.00	3	45.00	5	30.40
24. Lake	12	48.33	580.00	11	41.73	8	30.38
25. Lewis & Clark	11	46.36	510.00	7	37.29	7	23.00
26. Liberty	1	50.00	50.00	1	45.00	-	-
27. Lincoln	2	47.50	95.00	2	45.00	2	34.00
28. Madison	7	46.00	322.00	10	42.50	-	-
29. McCone	5	42.60	213.00	5	37.60	1	18.00
30. Meagher	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31. Mineral	4	48.25	193.00	5	43.20	4	33.50
32. Missoula	28	46.54	1,303.00	27	41.15	19	33.42
33. Musselshell	7	48.14	337.00	7	44.43	3	31.67
34. Park	7	45.86	321.00	5	43.40	4	37.88
35. Petroleum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36. Phillips	3	49.67	149.00	3	44.67	2	27.50
37. Pondera	5	48.40	242.00	4	45.00	2	35.00
38. Powder River	3	43.00	129.00	3	43.33	-	-
39. Powell	3	50.00	150.00	4	42.00	5	31.40
40. Prairie	8	46.75	374.00	5	42.80	1	19.00
41. Ravalli	13	47.69	620.00	15	42.13	9	28.67
42. Richland	7	41.14	288.00	5	45.00	3	22.67
43. Roosevelt	25	42.60	1,065.00	22	37.45	6	29.00
44. Rosebud	15	46.60	699.00	14	40.50	6	23.17
45. Sanders	3	50.00	150.00	5	45.00	4	32.75
46. Sheridan	1	50.00	50.00	1	45.00	2	34.00
47. Silver Bow	46	47.48	2,184.00	43	43.79	30	32.02
48. Stillwater	3	40.67	122.00	3	38.67	5	28.80
49. Sweet Grass	2	50.00	100.00	2	45.00	2	33.00
50. Teton	2	48.00	96.00	4	37.50	2	21.50
51. Toole	3	40.00	120.00	1	40.00	4	37.00
52. Treasure	1	50.00	50.00	2	45.00	2	20.50
53. Valley	7	49.57	347.00	6	40.00	2	22.50
54. Wheatland	1	50.00	50.00	1	45.00	1	35.00
55. Wibaux	1	50.00	50.00	-	-	-	-
56. Yellowstone	39	45.74	1,784.00	38	41.92	20	29.30

TABLE X. GENERAL RELIEF SUBSISTENCE, BY COUNTY, APRIL 1949, COMPARED WITH SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

County	APRIL 1949			APRIL 1948		APRIL 1944	
	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Amount	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Number of Cases	Average per Case
TOTAL.....	1,548	$31.04	$ 48,043.59	1,435	$26.72	1,246	$22.11
1. Beaverhead	6	17.17	103.00	15	3.73	6	14.42
2. Big Horn	8	22.63	181.01	11	14.75	12	23.32
3. Blaine	7	23.82	166.74	3	40.00	5	25.93
4. Broadwater	5	31.00	155.00	4	29.00	3	25.33
5. Carbon	59	26.09	1,539.28	52	27.06	49	17.70
6. Carter	16	37.11	593.83	13	24.88	7	23.71
7. Cascade	306	26.39	8,075.18	220	21.61	64	19.33
8. Chouteau	11	32.63	358.91	18	37.92	10	21.50
9. Custer	48	34.46	1,653.85	16	26.77	32	21.57
10. Daniels	10	19.40	194.00	8	19.00	11	21.09
11. Dawson	9	44.03	396.25	7	26.40	12	20.63
12. Deer Lodge	20	39.87	797.42	26	35.79	27	25.20
13. Fallon	5	21.40	107.00	4	17.50	6	20.38
14. Fergus	24	34.16	819.77	20	33.15	30	20.46
15. Flathead	41	26.87	1,101.63	46	24.22	45	22.22
16. Gallatin	23	23.65	544.00	19	26.05	18	14.78
17. Garfield	6	41.17	247.00	9	40.11	8	24.04
18. Glacier	26	24.78	644.29	29	21.35	21	14.92
19. Golden Valley	3	27.33	82.00	3	16.67	9	17.16
20. Granite	3	15.93	47.79	1	38.65	2	2.75
21. Hill	21	29.90	628.00	18	31.32	12	19.17
22. Jefferson	5	23.23	116.13	4	29.20	16	19.47
23. Judith Basin	13	29.50	383.53	11	31.33	24	22.92
24. Lake	25	33.26	831.50	20	17.42	16	23.82
25. Lewis & Clark	31	26.65	826.00	37	22.50	36	13.86
26. Liberty	2	14.12	28.25	1	20.00	1	3.00
27. Lincoln	29	32.19	933.45	28	28.82	20	17.90
28. Madison	10	27.20	272.00	11	30.10	10	26.20
29. McCone *	-	-	-	9	28.25	8	26.80
30. Meagher	16	16.92	270.65	21	10.91	6	23.33
31. Mineral	14	20.43	286.00	7	27.14	9	29.74
32. Missoula	41	30.69	1,258.16	45	29.18	57	20.07
33. Musselshell	22	29.78	655.25	23	22.55	18	21.77
34. Park	25	34.99	874.72	29	29.22	34	23.02
35. Petroleum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36. Phillips	10	49.17	491.72	4	19.12	9	20.86
37. Pondera	13	19.69	256.00	17	22.19	12	19.58
38. Powder River	4	39.13	156.52	4	30.06	4	18.75
39. Powell	16	27.46	439.36	11	27.36	21	21.69
40. Prairie	6	31.21	187.26	9	22.71	9	17.61
41. Ravalli	49	31.39	1,538.04	60	30.71	40	21.72
42. Richland	22	35.93	790.48	39	32.98	29	19.58
43. Roosevelt	16	30.30	484.78	25	28.26	19	19.52
44. Rosebud	16	22.79	364.61	10	24.47	11	19.36
45. Sanders	22	25.63	563.81	21	28.81	14	24.14
46. Sheridan	20	35.81	716.29	19	35.18	12	27.25
47. Silver Bow	251	39.04	9,798.85	219	28.23	250	25.21
48. Stillwater	16	27.32	437.06	14	31.37	16	25.17
49. Sweet Grass	13	34.00	442.04	9	35.78	5	17.54
50. Teton	7	14.71	103.00	12	21.89	12	27.14
51. Toole	10	48.87	488.74	10	52.65	8	20.80
52. Treasure	1	20.00	20.00	4	12.25	2	22.50
53. Valley	22	40.59	892.89	25	32.18	20	20.42
54. Wheatland	8	35.29	282.35	10	25.49	7	28.66
55. Wibaux	4	24.25	97.00	2	26.00	4	20.75
56. Yellowstone	132	32.74	4,321.20	123	29.09	98	26.67

* McCone County not reported.

TABLE XI. ANALYSIS OF GENERAL RELIEF SUBSISTENCE, BY FAMILY AND ONE-PERSON CASES BY COUNTY, APRIL 1949

County	Cases Receiving General Relief Subsistence				Obligations Incurred for:		
	Total Number of Cases	Family Cases		No. of One-Person Cases	Total	Family Cases	One-Person Cases
		Number	Pers. in Family Cases				
TOTAL.....	1,548	422	1,466	1,126	$ 48,043.59	$ 15,093.17	$ 32,950.42
1. Beaverhead	6	1	2	5	103.00	25.00	78.00
2. Big Horn	8	1	4	7	181.01	35.11	145.90
3. Blaine	7	-	-	7	166.74	-	166.74
4. Broadwater	5	1	3	4	155.00	40.00	115.00
5. Carbon	59	23	75	36	1,539.28	636.89	902.39
6. Carter	16	2	4	14	593.83	78.00	515.83
7. Cascade	306	61	233	245	8,075.18	2,617.57	5,457.61
8. Chouteau	11	-	-	11	358.91	-	358.91
9. Custer	48	4	21	44	1,653.85	214.50	1,439.35
10. Daniels	10	-	-	10	194.00	-	194.00
11. Dawson	9	4	13	5	396.25	225.25	171.00
12. Deer Lodge	20	7	17	13	797.42	241.42	556.00
13. Fallon	5	2	4	3	107.00	35.00	72.00
14. Fergus	24	8	31	16	819.77	305.87	513.90
15. Flathead	41	17	51	24	1,101.63	372.63	729.00
16. Gallatin	23	1	2	22	544.00	15.00	529.00
17. Garfield	6	1	2	5	247.00	39.00	208.00
18. Glacier	26	9	28	17	644.29	184.10	460.19
19. Golden Valley	3	1	2	2	82.00	35.00	47.00
20. Granite	3	2	5	1	47.79	46.04	1.75
21. Hill	21	2	6	19	628.00	20.00	608.00
22. Jefferson	5	2	4	3	116.13	55.00	61.13
23. Judith Basin	13	2	4	11	383.53	48.18	335.35
24. Lake	25	11	55	14	831.50	415.00	416.50
25. Lewis & Clark	31	11	43	20	826.00	316.00	510.00
26. Liberty	2	-	-	2	28.25	-	28.25
27. Lincoln	29	11	42	18	933.45	378.95	554.50
28. Madison	10	5	10	5	272.00	140.00	132.00
29. McCone *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30. Meagher	16	4	13	12	270.65	172.65	98.00
31. Mineral	14	1	2	13	286.00	30.00	256.00
32. Missoula	41	5	17	36	1,258.16	300.16	958.00
33. Musselshell	22	6	13	16	655.25	156.00	499.25
34. Park	25	8	36	17	874.72	257.97	616.75
35. Petroleum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36. Phillips	10	2	9	8	491.72	117.37	374.35
37. Pondera	13	2	11	11	256.00	70.00	186.00
38. Powder River	4	1	6	3	156.52	100.00	56.52
39. Powell	16	4	8	12	439.36	147.93	291.43
40. Prairie	6	1	2	5	187.26	52.00	135.26
41. Ravalli	49	19	56	30	1,538.04	630.99	907.05
42. Richland	22	12	54	10	790.48	519.48	271.00
43. Roosevelt	16	1	2	15	484.78	20.00	464.78
44. Rosebud	16	4	10	12	364.61	106.04	258.57
45. Sanders	22	5	10	17	563.81	175.00	388.81
46. Sheridan	20	5	13	15	716.29	213.00	503.29
47. Silver Bow	251	79	244	172	9,798.85	3,133.85	6,665.00
48. Stillwater	16	6	20	10	437.06	172.58	264.48
49. Sweet Grass	13	5	15	8	442.04	184.39	257.65
50. Teton	7	3	7	4	103.00	32.00	71.00
51. Toole	10	-	-	10	488.74	-	488.74
52. Treasure	1	-	-	1	20.00	-	20.00
53. Valley	22	4	15	18	892.89	187.00	705.89
54. Wheatland	8	2	6	6	282.35	61.35	221.00
55. Wibaux	4	-	-	4	97.00	-	97.00
56. Yellowstone	132	54	234	78	4,321.20	1,733.90	2,587.30

* McCone County not reported.

TABLE XII. ALL GENERAL RELIEF, INCLUDING SUBSISTENCE, MEDICAL CARE, HOSPITALIZATION, AND BURIALS, BY COUNTY, APRIL 1949

County	Total Cases	Expenditures from General Relief Funds for: Total	Sub-sistence	Medical Care	Hospital-ization	Burials
TOTAL.....	2,401	$108,832.81	$ 48,043.59	$12,227.18	$ 45,050.54	$ 3,511.50
1. Beaverhead	15	734.25	103.00	231.25	196.00	204.00
2. Big Horn	28	990.96	181.01	243.95	566.00	-
3. Blaine	34	3,025.97	166.74	696.23	2,026.00	137.00
4. Broadwater	8	207.90	155.00	22.90	30.00	-
5. Carbon	81	2,773.50	1,539.28	321.35	912.87	-
6. Carter	25	1,242.90	593.83	509.07	140.00	-
7. Cascade	405	19,099.42	8,075.18	1,722.79	8,981.45	320.00
8. Chouteau	33	2,458.91	358.91	156.50	1,943.50	-
9. Custer	55	1,950.60	1,653.85	20.25	276.50	-
10. Daniels	12	298.00	194.00	-	104.00	-
11. Dawson	21	984.75	396.25	-	588.50	-
12. Deer Lodge	65	2,877.82	797.42	409.60	1,570.80	100.00
13. Fallon	11	878.56	107.00	78.56	578.00	115.00
14. Fergus	64	1,120.48	819.77	225.71	-	75.00
15. Flathead	51	1,953.43	1,101.63	751.80	-	100.00
16. Gallatin	34	1,555.29	544.00	47.00	834.29	130.00
17. Garfield	16	1,255.00	247.00	-	1,008.00	-
18. Glacier	49	2,202.69	644.29	586.90	971.50	-
19. Golden Valley	10	543.50	82.00	87.50	374.00	-
20. Granite	6	179.13	47.79	31.34	100.00	-
21. Hill	41	2,387.59	628.00	47.22	1,712.37	-
22. Jefferson	17	918.18	116.13	100.70	701.35	-
23. Judith Basin	18	586.79	383.53	22.10	41.16	140.00
24. Lake	48	2,369.06	831.50	573.91	963.65	-
25. Lewis & Clark	32	910.00	826.00	-	-	84.00
26. Liberty	3	63.25	28.25	35.00	-	-
27. Lincoln	51	1,390.23	933.45	316.78	-	140.00
28. Madison	13	794.55	272.00	-	447.55	75.00
29. McCone *	-	-	-	-	-	-
30. Meagher	23	690.02	270.65	69.37	225.00	125.00
31. Mineral	31	1,503.80	286.00	328.80	889.00	-
32. Missoula	67	3,116.76	1,258.16	702.60	1,156.00	-
33. Musselshell	47	1,892.96	655.25	135.71	1,002.00	100.00
34. Park	57	2,702.92	874.72	384.50	1,243.70	200.00
35. Petroleum	1	171.50	-	-	-	171.50
36. Phillips	22	1,706.72	491.72	-	1,130.00	85.00
37. Pondera	27	1,149.33	256.00	46.23	847.10	-
38. Powder River	8	430.62	156.52	5.00	269.10	-
39. Powell	31	1,078.44	439.36	247.38	391.70	-
40. Prairie	16	1,213.26	187.26	17.00	1,009.00	-
41. Ravalli	65	2,292.14	1,538.04	103.85	650.25	-
42. Richland	57	2,814.53	790.48	1,317.94	706.11	-
43. Roosevelt	46	2,714.58	484.78	355.75	1,874.05	-
44. Rosebud	33	1,101.58	364.61	67.07	669.90	-
45. Sanders	44	2,545.25	563.81	-	1,981.44	-
46. Sheridan	27	1,524.79	716.29	255.00	453.50	100.00
47. Silver Bow	264	10,846.85	9,798.85	90.00	-	960.00
48. Stillwater	18	892.65	437.06	130.84	324.75	-
49. Sweet Grass	21	969.84	442.04	377.80	-	150.00
50. Teton	21	1,413.00	103.00	-	1,310.00	-
51. Toole	24	2,073.39	488.74	-	1,584.65	-
52. Treasure	2	136.76	20.00	3.36	113.40	-
53. Valley	32	1,973.39	892.89	-	1,080.50	-
54. Wheatland	18	860.79	282.35	13.94	564.50	-
55. Wibaux	9	374.80	97.00	265.25	12.55	-
56. Yellowstone	142	4,887.43	4,321.20	71.38	494.85	-

* McCone County not reported.

TABLE XIII. TRANSIENT RELIEF, BY COUNTY, COMPARED WITH LAST MONTH AND SAME MONTH A YEAR AGO, APRIL 1949

County	APRIL 1949		MARCH 1949		APRIL 1948	
	Number of Cases	Amount	Number of Cases	Amount	Number of Cases	Amount
TOTAL.....	299	$ 2,211.24	398	$ 3,271.55	209	$ 1,869.77
1. Beaverhead	7	9.35	-	-	1	12.50
2. Big Horn	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Blaine	-	-	-	-	-	-
4. Broadwater	-	-	1	2.60	1	1.00
5. Carbon	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. Carter	-	-	-	-	-	-
7. Cascade	11	191.75	8	259.70	3	10.35
8. Chouteau	71	58.34	75	68.32	23	26.00
9. Custer	-	-	6	11.36	2	3.85
10. Daniels	-	-	-	-	-	-
11. Dawson	7	6.05	25	20.40	8	14.27
12. Deer Lodge	-	-	9	29.00	4	37.28
13. Fallon	1	5.14	1	3.00	-	-
14. Fergus	1	3.00	7	121.75	1	5.00
15. Flathead	-	-	-	-	-	-
16. Gallatin	5	140.93	8	27.00	6	393.56
17. Garfield	-	-	-	-	-	-
18. Glacier	1	0.50	3	8.00	2	32.50
19. Golden Valley	-	-	-	-	-	-
20. Granite	-	-	-	-	-	-
21. Hill	2	3.90	8	144.00	-	-
22. Jefferson	-	-	-	-	-	-
23. Judith Basin	-	-	-	-	-	-
24. Lake	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Lewis & Clark	15	70.86	16	29.75	12	46.00
26. Liberty	-	-	-	-	-	-
27. Lincoln	-	-	4	4.65	-	-
28. Madison	-	-	-	-	-	-
29. McCone *	-	-	-	-	-	-
30. Meagher	-	-	-	-	-	-
31. Mineral	1	5.00	3	19.07	-	-
32. Missoula	6	366.20	6	85.34	5	269.07
33. Musselshell	3	47.00	1	0.75	11	24.50
34. Park	11	187.70	6	455.26	8	109.45
35. Petroleum	-	-	-	-	-	-
36. Phillips	-	-	-	-	-	-
37. Pondera	1	1.00	4	4.20	-	-
38. Powder River	2	4.10	7	9.80	-	-
39. Powell	8	113.20	9	252.80	-	-
40. Prairie	-	-	-	-	1	5.00
41. Ravalli	2	71.50	3	46.89	9	13.85
42. Richland	2	40.75	12	81.50	2	19.95
43. Roosevelt	1	4.85	1	2.25	2	10.08
44. Rosebud	1	171.80	4	321.40	-	-
45. Sanders	-	-	-	-	1	1.60
46. Sheridan	-	-	-	-	-	-
47. Silver Bow	65	334.10	65	359.80	46	160.81
48. Stillwater	-	-	2	5.70	2	1.42
49. Sweet Grass	7	19.45	14	76.90	20	145.42
50. Teton	-	-	-	-	-	-
51. Toole	-	-	-	-	-	-
52. Treasure	-	-	-	-	-	-
53. Valley	2	144.19	4	461.00	5	95.60
54. Wheatland	17	41.50	-	-	-	-
55. Wibaux	-	-	8	44.96	-	-
56. Yellowstone	49	169.06	78	314.40	34	430.71

* McCone County not reported.

TABLE XIV. MONTHLY REPORT OF CHILD WELFARE SERVICES, APRIL 1949

Children Receiving Service	Children
1. Children carried forward from preceding month	1,139
2. Children for whom service was initiated during month	59
3. Total children	1,198
4. Children for whom service was terminated during month	41
5. Children carried forward to following month	1,157
a. In home of parents	544
b. In home of relatives	94
c. In foster-home	425
d. In institution	66
e. Elsewhere	28

TABLE XV. CHILDREN UNDER CARE BY COUNTY, APRIL 30, 1949

County	Number of Children	County	Number of Children
TOTAL	1,157	29. McCone	7
1. Beaverhead	7	30. Meagher	5
2. Big Horn	13	31. Mineral	5
3. Blaine	2	32. Missoula	35
4. Broadwater	11	33. Musselshell	2
5. Carbon	10	34. Park	5
6. Carter	6	35. Petroleum	2
7. Cascade	139	36. Phillips	9
8. Chouteau	10	37. Pondera	7
9. Custer	56	38. Powder River	12
10. Daniels	5	39. Powell	18
11. Dawson	26	40. Prairie	9
12. Deer Lodge	22	41. Ravalli	11
13. Fallon	1	42. Richland	12
14. Fergus	27	43. Roosevelt	15
15. Flathead	51	44. Rosebud	54
16. Gallatin	10	45. Sanders	37
17. Garfield	3	46. Sheridan	5
18. Glacier	20	47. Silver Bow	72
19. Golden Valley	-	48. Stillwater	-
20. Granite	12	49. Sweet Grass	10
21. Hill	17	50. Teton	11
22. Jefferson	7	51. Toole	18
23. Judith Basin	21	52. Treasure	2
24. Lake	31	53. Valley	45
25. Lewis & Clark	105	54. Wheatland	4
26. Liberty	-	55. Wibaux	14
27. Lincoln	-	56. Yellowstone	70
28. Madison	21	Institutions	28

TABLE XVI. WHEREABOUTS OF CHILDREN RECEIVING CHILD WELFARE SERVICES, BY COUNTY OF SERVICE, APRIL 30, 1949

County	Total Children	In home of Parents	In home of Relatives	In Foster Home	In Institution	Elsewhere
TOTAL.....	1,157	544	94	425	66	28
1. Beaverhead	7	1	-	6	-	-
2. Big Horn	13	3	2	8	-	-
3. Blaine	2	1	-	1	-	-
4. Broadwater	11	4	3	4	-	-
5. Carbon	10	2	2	5	1	-
6. Carter	6	5	-	1	-	-
7. Cascade	139	43	10	66	17	3
8. Chouteau	10	7	-	3	-	-
9. Custer	56	30	2	22	-	2
10. Daniels	5	3	-	-	2	-
11. Dawson	26	20	-	6	-	-
12. Deer Lodge	22	12	3	5	1	1
13. Fallon	1	-	1	-	-	-
14. Fergus	27	22	3	1	-	1
15. Flathead	51	24	5	19	-	3
16. Gallatin	10	7	-	3	-	-
17. Garfield	3	-	-	3	-	-
18. Glacier	20	8	3	4	1	4
19. Golden Valley	-	-	-	-	-	-
20. Granite	12	9	-	3	-	-
21. Hill	17	6	1	10	-	-
22. Jefferson	7	2	-	4	-	1
23. Judith Basin	21	16	1	4	-	-
24. Lake	31	18	4	9	-	-
25. Lewis & Clark	105	29	7	57	5	7
26. Liberty	-	-	-	-	-	-
27. Lincoln	-	-	-	-	-	-
28. Madison	21	17	-	4	-	-
29. McCone	7	5	1	1	-	-
30. Meagher	5	5	-	-	-	-
31. Mineral	5	2	1	2	-	-
32. Missoula	35	21	5	9	-	-
33. Musselshell	2	-	-	2	-	-
34. Park	5	1	-	4	-	-
35. Petroleum	2	-	-	2	-	-
36. Phillips	9	6	2	1	-	-
37. Pondera	7	4	-	3	-	-
38. Powder River	12	12	-	-	-	-
39. Powell	18	8	-	9	-	1
40. Prairie	9	9	-	-	-	-
41. Ravalli	11	3	1	7	-	-
42. Richland	12	7	-	5	-	-
43. Roosevelt	15	2	5	5	-	3
44. Rosebud	54	39	7	1	7	-
45. Sanders	37	24	3	10	-	-
46. Sheridan	5	1	2	2	-	-
47. Silver Bow	72	24	6	38	4	-
48. Stillwater	-	-	-	-	-	-
49. Sweet Grass	10	5	1	4	-	-
50. Teton	11	10	-	1	-	-
51. Toole	18	12	-	6	-	-
52. Treasure	2	-	-	2	-	-
53. Valley	45	31	6	7	-	1
54. Wheatland	4	-	2	2	-	-
55. Wibaux	14	11	-	2	-	1
56. Yellowstone	70	13	5	52	-	-
Institutions	28	-	-	-	28	-

TABLE XVII. AID TO SILICOTICS, BY COUNTY, APRIL 1949

County	Number of Recipients	Total Payments
TOTAL.....	658	$ 26,320.00
1. Beaverhead	1	40.00
2. Big Horn	-	-
3. Blaine	-	-
4. Broadwater	3	120.00
5. Carbon	1	40.00
6. Carter	-	-
7. Cascade	8	320.00
8. Chouteau	1	40.00
9. Custer	1	40.00
10. Daniels	-	-
11. Dawson	-	-
12. Deer Lodge	19	760.00
13. Fallon	-	-
14. Fergus	1	40.00
15. Flathead	1	40.00
16. Gallatin	1	40.00
17. Garfield	-	-
18. Glacier	-	-
19. Golden Valley	-	-
20. Granite	16	640.00
21. Hill	2	80.00
22. Jefferson	19	760.00
23. Judith Basin	-	-
24. Lake	4	160.00
25. Lewis & Clark	29	1,160.00
26. Liberty	-	-
27. Lincoln	2	80.00
28. Madison	14	560.00
29. McCone	-	-
30. Meagher	-	-
31. Mineral	1	40.00
32. Missoula	8	320.00
33. Musselshell	18	720.00
34. Park	-	-
35. Petroleum	-	-
36. Phillips	2	80.00
37. Pondera	-	-
38. Powder River	1	40.00
39. Powell	4	160.00
40. Prairie	-	-
41. Ravalli	7	280.00
42. Richland	-	-
43. Roosevelt	-	-
44. Rosebud	-	-
45. Sanders	3	80.00
46. Sheridan	1	40.00
47. Silver Bow	488	19,520.00
48. Stillwater	1	40.00
49. Sweet Grass	-	-
50. Teton	-	-
51. Toole	-	-
52. Treasure	-	-
53. Valley	-	-
54. Wheatland	-	-
55. Wibaux	-	-
56. Yellowstone	2	80.00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE: AVERAGE PAYMENTS TO RECIPIENTS BY STATE, FEBRUARY 1949

UNITED STATES	$42.90
Alabama	22.68
Alaska	50.57
Arizona	54.30
Arkansas	20.98
California	70.24
Colorado	67.11
Connecticut	54.28
Delaware	27.72
District of Columbia	43.15
Florida	39.92
Georgia	21.14
Hawaii	34.20
Idaho	46.52
Illinois	42.31
Indiana	34.46
Iowa	47.45
Kansas	43.34
Kentucky	20.76
Louisiana	47.00
Maine	34.76
Maryland	36.85
Massachusetts	60.71
Michigan	42.51
Minnesota	46.88
Mississippi	17.24
Missouri	42.15
MONTANA	44.84
Nebraska	41.57
Nevada	54.02
New Hampshire	42.93
New Jersey	45.66
New Mexico	34.83
New York	53.70
North Carolina	20.81
North Dakota	45.74
Ohio	46.61
Oklahoma	51.84
Oregon	47.65
Pennsylvania	39.86
Rhode Island	43.72
South Carolina	24.29
South Dakota	37.27
Tennessee	26.71
Texas	33.97
Utah	50.43
Vermont	35.32
Virginia	19.72
Washington	66.70
West Virginia	20.89
Wisconsin	41.10
Wyoming	56.31

INTERQUARTILE DISTRIBUTION
(States ranked by amount of average payment)

	Amount	Rank	State
HIGHEST	$70.24	1.	California
		2.	Colorado
		3.	Washington
		4.	Massachusetts
		5.	Wyoming
		6.	Arizona
		7.	Connecticut
		8.	Nevada
		9.	New York
		10.	Oklahoma
		11.	Alaska
		12.	Utah
UPPER QUARTILE	$47.65	13.	Oregon
		14.	Iowa
		15.	Louisiana
		16.	Minnesota
		17.	Ohio
		18.	North Dakota
		19.	New Jersey
		20.	Idaho
		21.	MONTANA
		22.	Rhode Island
		23.	Kansas
		24.	District of Columbia
		25.	New Hampshire
MEDIAN	$42.51	26.	Michigan
		27.	Illinois
		28.	Missouri
		29.	Nebraska
		30.	Wisconsin
		31.	Florida
		32.	Pennsylvania
		33.	South Dakota
		34.	Maryland
		35.	Vermont
		36.	New Mexico
		37.	Maine
		38.	Indiana
LOWER QUARTILE	$34.20	39.	Hawaii
		40.	Texas
		41.	Delaware
		42.	Tennessee
		43.	South Carolina
		44.	Alabama
		45.	Georgia
		46.	Arkansas
		47.	West Virginia
		48.	North Carolina
		49.	Kentucky
		50.	Virginia
LOWEST	$17.24	51.	Mississippi

Source: Social Security Administration

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